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'Finally' The Lancet Acknowledges Natural Immunity Superior to mRNA COVID Vaccines

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By Brenda Baletti, Ph.D.

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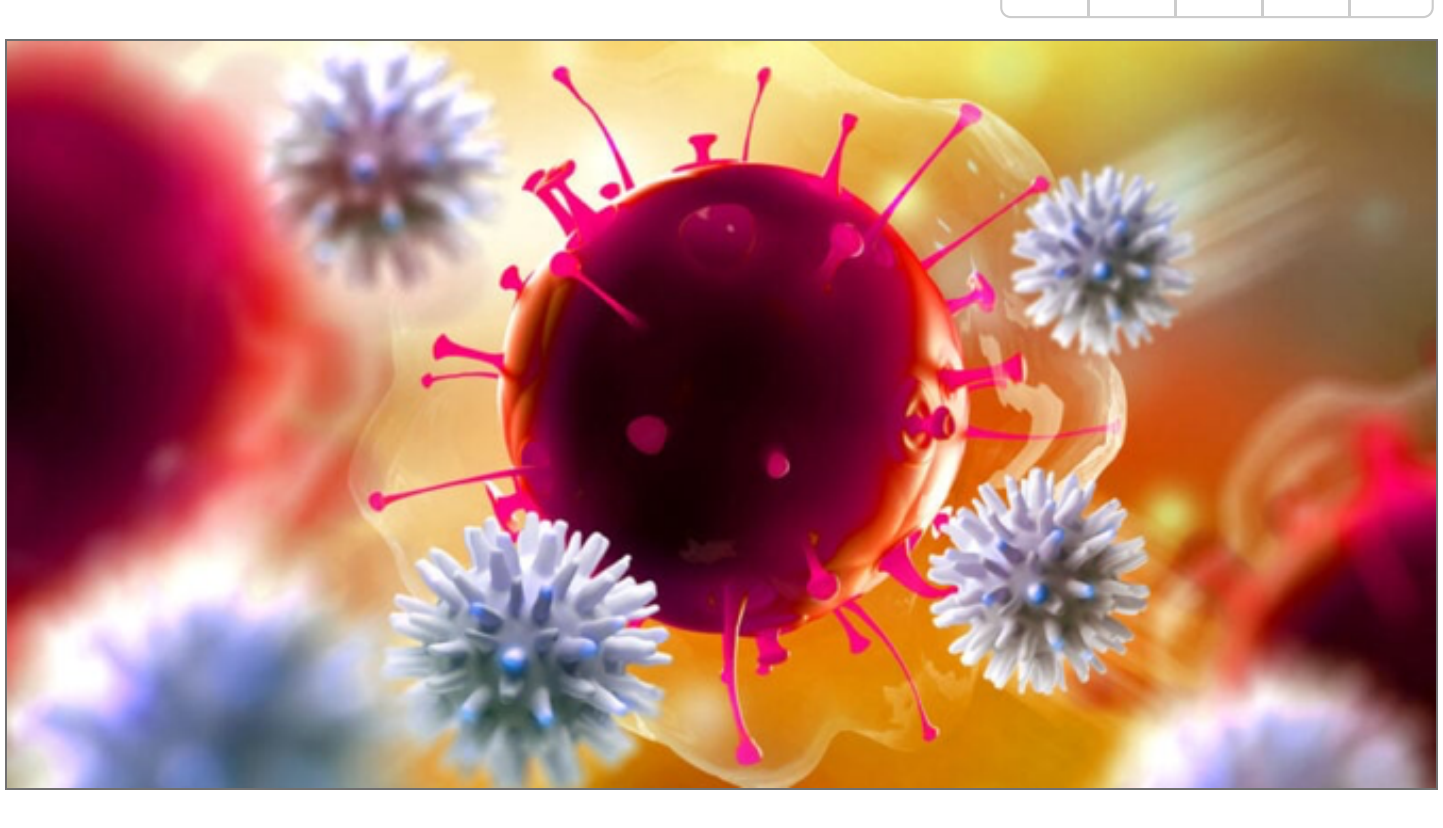

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Researchers conducted a systematic review and meta-analysis of 65 studies worldwide, providing overwhelming evidence to support what many scientists, doctors and studies have said since early in the COVID-19 pandemic.

"The Lancet is finally acknowledging what doctors and scientists have been gaslit for saying for years — that natural immunity provides superior protection to experimental vaccines," said Robert F. Kennedy, Jr., chairman and chief litigation counsel for Children's Health Defense.

"Only the tsunami of propaganda and censorship from the pharma/government biosecurity cartel and the controlled media persuaded the public that Pfizer and Moderna were better at protecting the human immune system than God and evolution," he added.

The study found that immunity acquired from infection was often far more robust and consistently waned more slowly than the immunity from two doses of an mRNA vaccine.

The researchers found that natural immunity was at least 88.9% effective against severe disease, hospitalization and death for all COVID-19 variants 10 months after infection.

It also provided 78.6% protection against reinfection for all variants except omicron BA.1, for which protection was 45.3%.

At an October 2022 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices meeting, the CDC presented data showing that vaccine-acquired immunity after two or three injections dropped to zero six months after injection, and then became negative.

The Lancet study stated that "although protection from reinfection from all variants wanes over time, our analysis of the available data suggests that the level of protection afforded by previous infection is at least as high, if not higher than that provided by two-dose vaccination using high-quality mRNA vaccines (Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech)."

The study was funded in part by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation. Authors included Dr. Christopher Murray, director of The Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation, the Gates-funded institute that was "largely responsible for the notoriously exaggerated mortality calculations that overestimated COVID deaths by 20-fold at the COVID pandemic's outset," according to Kennedy.

The authors argued, based on their findings, that natural immunity should be recognized along with vaccines when authorities are considering restricting travel, access to venues and work based on immunization status.

Commenting on these conclusions, Dr. Meryl Nass, internist and epidemiologist, said:

> "While framing this as an acknowledgment that natural immunity confers protection, what it is also doing is providing tacit agreement that government-imposed policies restricting travel are acceptable. It furthermore provides tacit approval of vaccine passports."

The 'cartel's' war on natural immunity

In October 2020, The Lancet published an article — "Scientific consensus on the COVID-19 pandemic: we need to act now" — by authors including CDC Director Rochelle Walensky, which was widely covered in the mainstream press. They stated that "there is no evidence for lasting protective immunity to SARS-CoV-2 following natural infection" and that "the consequence of waning immunity would present a risk to vulnerable populations for the indefinite future."

But in November 2021, a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request forced the CDC to admit that it didn't even collect data on natural immunity.

Then, in January 2022, the CDC was compelled to revise its position on natural immunity, acknowledging in a report that natural immunity against COVID-19 was at least three times as effective as vaccination at preventing people from becoming infected with the Delta variant.

The pharmaceutical companies were also aware of the benefits of naturally acquired immunity, although they suppressed that information, documents revealed.

In October 2021, Project Veritas exposed three Pfizer officials saying that antibodies lead to equal if not better protection against the virus compared to the vaccine, The Defender reported.

Later, in April 2022, Pfizer documents held by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) and released under court order confirmed Pfizer knew natural immunity was as effective as the company's COVID-19 vaccine at preventing severe illness, journalist Kim Iversen reported.

Most recently, the Twitter files revealed that a Pfizer board member who used to head the FDA lobbied Twitter to take action against a post accurately pointing out that natural immunity is superior to COVID-19 vaccination, The Epoch Times reported.

FOIA requests also revealed that Dr. Anthony Fauci and his boss, National Institutes of Health Director Francis Collins, colluded to suppress the Great Barrington Declaration, which argues that natural immunity plays an important role in mitigating public harm from COVID-19, The Defender reported.

The vaccines are failing, which means we need more vaccines

Media that reported on the study, including NBC, ABC and U.S. News & World Report, continue to advocate for vaccination as the more important way to protect against severe disease and death from COVID-19.

This is despite the fact that even vaccine advocates Bill Gates and Fauci admitted that COVID-19 vaccines perform poorly.

In a paper published last month in Cell Host and Microbe, Fauci and his co-authors confirmed that the predominantly mucosal respiratory viruses, including influenza, coronaviruses, respiratory syncytial virus, or RSV, and common colds "have not to date been effectively controlled by licensed or experimental vaccines."

They concluded, "Durably protective vaccines against non-systemic mucosal respiratory viruses with high mortality rates have thus far eluded vaccine development efforts."

Nass said that while it is quite significant for The Lancet to publish these findings about natural immunity, the authors' framing, like the admissions by Gates and Fauci, "is intended to quietly, without apology, veer away from current COVID vaccines, while implying that more money is needed to develop new types of vaccines. No one made any mistakes. No one accepts any blame. Chris Murray never erred with his outlandish estimates. No, just send money and let us do the science."

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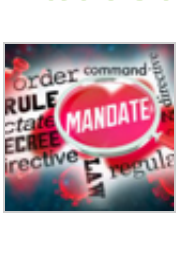

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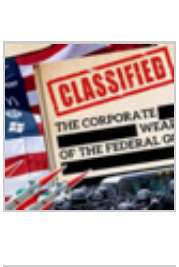

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While theres a degree of satisfaction that the medical journal Lancet is finally recognizing natural immunity by covid infection is by far superior to tge mRNA death shot-as it has caused a 4400%increase in severe injury&naturaly immunity is robust&wanes far slower; Lancet r the ones who destroyed the medical career of renowned Dr Wakefield pediatric gastroenterologist who first linked vaccine damage to autism& forged breakthroughs in natural dietary treatments for autistic children.Also the medical establishment is so devious&trying to reframe this sudden admission of truth to equalize the mRNA shots to natural immunity&quietly step away from the death carnage caused by the genetic mutation injections
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Lola White ➦ Carrie Lavine
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I am NOT surprised. BUT, Biden is STILL destroying America and NOTHING has been done to him. America looks like a joke, anymore, to the world. So saddening.
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GarySummers ➦ Carrie Lavine
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"To The Vaxed, We Know You Were Duped, We Understand!"
'Get Checked For Myocarditis, Heart Inflammation, Blood Clots-D-Dimer Test, and Watch For Turbo Cancer!'
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And don't forget: There will be MANY MORE Safe and Effective shots.
"STEP RIGHT UP"!
Wait! Don't leave, yet. We have 14 new boosters that will help those last 13 shots".
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kaoshispano ➦ Carrie Lavine
6 days ago
WE ALL are rabbits in hands of luciferians of this deviled NWO. the END.
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Brett Donovan ➦ Carrie Lavine
6 days ago
very well said.
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FR33DOMLuvr
7 days ago
The amount of discrimination and ugliness that I've endured standing up for my natural immunity after recovering from Alpha Covid has been pure insanity and I'm forever changed. My last workplace mandated and alienated me for not taking the sh@t, and I resigned. My in laws and neighbors have pulled away which has saddened me the most. And NOW the health 'experts' admit what we've known for years like it's no big deal!
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sherry715 ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
7 days ago
I'm with you! I was terminated from my nursing job, never had COVID until 8 months after I was terminated. I only had a 24-hour headache, haven't had COVID since. I'm done with the medical profession. It's sad that your family has pulled away from you. It just shows their ignorance (sorry to say). You have to do what's best for you and only you can make that decision - no one else!
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tag ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
7 days ago
I'm lucky as I am self employed. I also didn't require my employees to be vaxxed. My family except my daughter who thinks like I do, has pretty well kept their distance and that is fine with me. They are all vaxxed to the max and I protect myself from the shedding as much as I can. I also no longer have any respect or need for the medical community. They did it to themselves when they quit practicing medicine and became slaves to the government agencies, woke corporations and big pharma. The smartest thing you can do today is get prepared for what's coming, like a steam train, and become as self sufficient as you can.
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Brett Donovan ➦ tag
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there is an homeopathic remedy for shedding. we use it all the time it's brilliant! Perth WA
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LMB0123 ➦ Brett Donovan
3 days ago
Which remedy is it? Please share so we can all benefit! Thanks.
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dbj3 ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
7 days ago
I am sorry for you and all others who saw what was going on, and stuck to your guns about this jab! I hope these people who dissed you realize the hurt they caused! Stay Strong! 🙏🙏🙏
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Linda N ➦ dbj3
7 days ago
Sadly, a lot of people who dissed anyone who refused the sh@ts may get their due in the form of serious adverse events or death.
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fedupwithlies ➦ Linda N
2 days ago
True!
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Ajax ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
7 days ago edited
Painful, but maybe the ugly core of your relations is being exposed.
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fedupwithlies ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
2 days ago
Keep your head up! THEY are the fools in all of this. Their minds are NOT as strong as yours. They have been brainwashed by MEDIA and psychopaths like Fauci, Bill Gates, WHO, CIA, WEF, medical cartels and hospitals who PUSHED this WITH knowledge that it would take lives and destroy lives, families, marriages, jobs and businesses. They KNEW this WAY ahead of when it was "Released".
Mainstream, leftist, liberal medias NEED to be HELD accountable. What is with America? All this time and STILL, NOBODY is punished? Except the INNOCENT!
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Moony77 ➦ FR33DOMLuvr
6 days ago
I'm sorry for your pain, but you must understand you are far, far better off without mean, stupid ppl around you. They drag you down. You are much better off without such low vibrating humans around you 💜
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Ricky Ricardo
7 days ago
Constant sugar coating of the **facts**! **Natural Immunity** is the **only** immunity! The nanobot shots **destroy** immunity. That **fact** *should* be common knowledge. There is no way that anyone can interpret that fact as "offering protection"! The way I see it; anyone who took the nanobot shot...if they're not extremely sick (or dead), then they should consider themselves one of the lucky ones; for now, anyway.
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tag ➦ Ricky Ricardo
7 days ago edited
For now but I see it accelerating already. What is the next couple of years going to bring? In my town of 40,000 since Jan 1st, 62 people have died under 70. Most were in the 30-50 age group. I have been a genealogist and read obits daily for 40 years and there is nothing "normal" about this. I can't even imagine what it is like in larger cities.
Did they all died from the vax? Probably not. Did many die from the vax? Probably so. So many died suddenly or unexpectedly and many died at home. That seems to me that there was no previous medical condition, they just died. If the powers that be really gave a flip, they should be demanding every death needs to be autopsied. I guess they are too scared that the truth might come out once and for all.
Now they want to track the unvaxxed. Guess it is getting done if you go to a Dr, clinic or hospital. I'm good. Haven't been to any of the snake oil salesmen in 30 years! Catch me if you can! :)
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Polly Green ➦ tag
7 days ago edited
Yup. They're already tracking the unvaccinated via ICD-10 codes which are readily accessible to almost anyone, including the government, thanks to Obummercare. It will be easy-peasy for the feds to deny medical care, benefits, and housing to all of us who refused.
Yesterday I had a contentious discussion with my primary care physician about his office's mandatory masking policy in which I brought up the Cochrane Review meta analysis which showed masking was a wash at best, but likely useless. He countered by saying he'd seen a video three years ago in wgich two groups of mice were separated by a "wall" of fabric alone and one side was infected with a virus. "The fabric wall kept the other group from getting infected."
I said, you obviously didn't see the videos in which particles larger than virus fragments were easily blown through masks, or the one which showed how masks are produced by the thousands by the adults and children of the "untouchable" caste in India in dirt floor shacks and stacked in the filthy streets and these are the "clean masks" you hand to your patients to wear.
It doesn't matter to the Covid Cultists how many articles and studies refute the insanity. They'll cling to that blue plastic mask like a life raft convinced that they're saving lives. Every time I think the tide is turning, some otherwise normal person starts defending the Big Lie.
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tag ➦ Polly Green
6 days ago
You got that right about the stupid face diapers. I will never slap on one of those oxygen stealing things again. Might want to show him the box the n-95 come in, which according to fraudcie were supposed to be better. Right on the box it states "Is not effective against virus." I laugh every time I see someone in one of the blue surgical mask with the gaps on the side big enough to drive a car thru! Biggest problem we face today is the fact most of humanity has completely lost their ability to use common sense, think critically and hit the off button on the tube.
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Brett Donovan ➦ tag
6 days ago
Well said.
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Bidge ➦ Polly Green
6 days ago
I'm assuming you won't be going back there if he/she is that ignorant about something so simple
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Moony77 ➦ Polly Green
6 days ago
The primary reason for the doctor's willful ignorance is money my friend…taxpayer, Hero's, Care's and Inflation Reduction Acts money!
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Polly Green ➦ Moony77
4 days ago
Yup. My own cardiologist said that very thing.
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Ricky Ricardo ➦ tag
2 days ago
I'm going to go out on a limb here and suggest that more than a million people globally, have already died. A few months ago, one site was following Dr. Deaths (after the shot) in Canada. It was 80-90. I saw an update a couple of days ago...over 130! Most seem to have "Died Suddenly" and from cancers! I found the tab still up. It has some photos, age, COD, etc.. https://palexander.substack...
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tag ➦ Ricky Ricardo
2 days ago
Yesterday in my town of only 40,000 7 died. 2 males, 63 and 65 and 5 females 32, 39, 64, 67 and 69. I am only keeping track of under 70 but several also were in their early 70's. Anyone that can't see something is wrong here, should cancel their Netflix subscription and wake the flock up.
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Ricky Ricardo ➦ tag
a day ago
The numbers will increase exponentially within the next couple of years!
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tag ➦ Ricky Ricardo
20 hours ago
Sadly I am sure you are right.
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Rob DF
7 days ago
It's 2023. At this point why would I care what "The Lancet" thinks about anything?
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brbg ➦ Rob DF
5 days ago
Yes! The Lancet was caught in their fraudulent article about the vax so they have lost credibility.
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pjmauigirl
7 days ago
I doubt the medical community will regain the trust that was lost after this blatently obvious disregard of basic knowledge in infectious disease and immunology.
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tag ➦ pjmauigirl
7 days ago
I barely trusted them before Covid. Now? Dream on!
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dbj3 ➦ pjmauigirl
7 days ago
They've lost my trust!!!
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Moony77 ➦ pjmauigirl
6 days ago
I can only hope you're right. Too many ppl are literally under mass hypnosis from watching the boob tube and exposure to mass propaganda and toxins everywhere!
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Heisenberg
7 days ago
The Lancet has been compromised. They caved to the pressure of the medical cartel once and they'll do it again.
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Martin J Reynoso
7 days ago
That's why I Listened to Doctors The late DR. ZELENKO and other doctors DR. Tenpenny and others that sounded the alarm 2yrs. ago!!!
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FarmingForTruth
7 days ago
I appreciate this article (and its truth). I'm a little puzzled as to the reason Bill Gate's name is attached to the funding of the Lancet study. He does everything for his own nefarious reasons and supporting the health of the common man is not in his vocabulary. I wonder what he's up to......
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Yellolight4570 ➦ FarmingForTruth
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Bill and Melinda need to be the first charged in this C19 hoax.
That's what it was/is from the start.
Nothing but a Globalist money and power grab and it's still going on.
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GarySummers ➦ Yellolight4570
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